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Applicant:

Alianna MAREN et al.

Title:

KNOWLEDGE DISCOVERY APPARATUS

AND METHOD

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## **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[ ] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.

[X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

|                        | Claims       |      | Extra         |       |              |     |          |   |            |
|------------------------|--------------|------|---------------|-------|--------------|-----|----------|---|------------|
| × .                    | As           |      | Previously    |       | Claims       |     |          |   | Additional |
|                        | Amended      |      | Paid For      |       | Present      |     | Rate     |   | Claims Fee |
| Total Claims:          | 22           | -    | 20            | =     | 2            | х   | \$50.00  | = | \$100.00   |
| Independent<br>Claims: | 5            | -    | 3             | =     | 2            | x   | \$200.00 | = | \$400.00   |
| First p                | oresentation | of a | ny Multiple l | Depen | dent Claims: | +   | \$360.00 | = | \$0.00     |
|                        |              |      |               |       | CLAIMS       | FEE | E TOTAL  | = | \$500.00   |

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| [ | ] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 3 total number of months checked below: | 7 C.F.R. § 1.136( | (a) for the |  |  |
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| [ | ] Extension for response filed within the first month:  | \$120.00          | \$0.00      |  |  |
| [ | ] Extension for response filed within the second month:   | \$450.00          | \$0.00      |  |  |
| [ | ] Extension for response filed within the third month:  | \$1,020.00        | \$0.00      |  |  |
| [ | ] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:   | \$1,590.00        | \$0.00      |  |  |
| [ | ] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:  | \$2,160.00        | \$0.00      |  |  |
|   | EXTENSION I   | FEE TOTAL:        | \$0.00      |  |  |
| [ | ] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):   | \$130.00          | \$0.00      |  |  |
|   | CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER I  | FEE TOTAL:        | \$500.00    |  |  |
| [ | Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):  |                   | \$0.00      |  |  |
|   | TOTAL FEE:  |                   |             |  |  |

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$500.00 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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## AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated February 13, 2006, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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